LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-Williams and Walker in "A Lucky Coon." Bijou-Vaudeville.

Columbia-The Frawley Company, pre-senting "The Wife." Kernan's Lyceum Theater-Big Sensation

National Theater-Wilton Lackage in 'Charles O'Malley.' St. Paul's Church, 11th and H streets-Lecture by Lieutenant Kenny on "A Trip to the Arctic Regions."

Ohio avenue and 15th street-Battle of 1710 I street-Talk on Poetry by Mr. F. Mt. Vernon Place M. E. Church-Organ

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Steamer Charles Macalester for Marshall Hall and Mount Vernon at 10 a.m. and 1:45

er Norfolk for Fortress Monro Steamer Wakefield for Colonial Beach and river landings at 7 a.m.

Steamer Estelle Randall for Glymont and intermediate points at 9:30 a.m. Trains leave 13% street and Pennsylvania avenue hourly for Arlington from S a.m. to 8 p.m., and for Mount Vernon hourly from

Cars leave Aqueduct bridge for Arlington and Fort Myer every half hour from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., and every hour for Falls Church.

10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

SCHNEIDER'S MODEL BAKERY -is a model of neatness and cleanliness, with all the latest appliances and best equipment. The public is invited to call and see their MALT BREAD in process of making. 5c. a loaf at your grocer's.

BIG MEAT DISPLAY TOMORROW -at J. H. Buscher's stands in Center and new West End market, 22d and P sts. Fin-est native-dressed Beef, Lamb and Veal-at lowest possible prices.

William Colvin was released on his per-sonal bonds by Judge Kimball today, he having been arraigned on a charge pre-ferred by Policeman Williams of riding a blevele last night without a lamp on it His excuse was that he went to a funeral in Anacostia and the services lasted longer than he had anticipated

PLENTY OF SUNDAY DESSERTS to choose from here. All kinds of delicious Fruit Pies-and a great variety of Fancy Pastry. Sent fresh whenever you say, KRAFFT'S BAKERY, 18th st. & Pa. n.w.

FRAMING AT SPECIAL PRICES. Saturday specials—Cabinet size frames, 20c.; for three pictures, 38c.; Army and Navy pictures, 25c.; large Photo Colors, derentine gilt frames, 85c. Houriet, 431

Give "HELLman" deep meditation.

Try a brick of Fussell's "Star" Ice Cream. Strawberry Fruit Cream. Open evenings. 1427 N. Y. Ave.

A steam engineer's license of the first class has been granted J. E. Francis, and one of the third class to Edward Camp.

KENNY'S NEW CROP TEAS SOLD AT OLD PRICES. PURE SUGARS SOLD AT COST. C. D. KENNY. 8 CITY STORES.

WASHINGTON DRESSED BEEF. Spring Lamb, New York Roast Beef, Delmonico Steak, go to John R. Kelly, West End Mkt., 22d & P: 9th street wing, Center Mkt. Corned Beef a specialty.

CITY AND DISTRICT. Sunday School Class Entertains.

The Sunday school house of the Calvary Baptist Church was well filled Wednesday evening, the occasion being an entertainment and social by one of the large classes of the school-class 28 of the adult department. The earlier part of the evening was gives up to the reception, which was followed by an interesting program, including the following features:

Miss Edna Frazee, plano solo; Mrs. Simp-son, soprano solo; Mr. C. F. Purdy, mono-logue, Mr. Cragg, baritone solo; Mrs. Jor-don, readings; Miss Ottle C. Miller, soprano solo; Mr. Channon, recitations; Miss Ger-

Dr. S. H. Greene, the pastor, was present and added a few remarks, after which the company was invited to the large dining rooms, where refreshments were served.

Watch for a town, Congress Heights, D. C.

Confer With Gen. Wilson.

That there may be, as far as possible uniformity in the rules and regulations governing their control of the river front, the District Commissioners have requested Gen. John M. Wilson, chief of engineers, United States army, to furnish them with such suggestions as may occur to him as being pertinent regulations, and as to whether such rules and regulations should be the same over wharf property under the control of both the Commissioners and the chief of engineers.

Milans, Printer, 615 E Street N.W. nd for estimate. Good work, low prices -Advertisement

Prisoners Sentenced.

Justice Clabaugh, in Criminal Court No. 1 has sentenced John Brown, alias Smith Brown, colored, to imprisonment in the West Virginia penitentiary, at Moundsville for two years and six months. Brown was indicted for bigamy and when arraigned

entered a plea of guilty.

Annie Poney, colored, who pleaded guilty under an indictment alleging larceny from the person, was sentenced to imprisonment for a term of two years in the penitentiary at Moundsville.

Dainty Blooming Spirea Plants, 25c Decorative, pretty. Gude's, 1224 F .- Advt. Plea of Guilty.

William Ricks, colored, pleaded guilty in the Police Court today to two charges of larceny, and the penalty was a fine of \$25 or four months in jail. He stole two sets of harness from the stable of Mr. B. F. Mc-Cauley, where he was employed.

Have you seen Cleveland Park ?- Advt.

Charged With Larceny.

Dan Hart, a man who is well known to the police, was arrested early this morning by Officer Walsh for Detectives Horne and Watson and charged with the larceny of a watch, the owner of which has not yet reported his loss. Hart was locked up at the sixth precinct, and will be held to await further developments.

The Largest Brewing Plant

in the world produces the celebrated tonic Malt-Nutrine, that boon for invalids and convalescents. Made only by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n, which fact guar-antees its merit.-Advt.

The Coming Consistory.

The papal delegation here has not yet been advised of the assembling of the concistory at Rome the latter part of June, as announced in press dispatches, for the purpose of creating ten new cardinals; but this meeting has been anticipated for some time. The new cardinals will be named to fill vacancies now existing, the latest being those at Florence and Cologne. While there has been much gossip from time to time as to conferring a "red hat" on some of the dignitaries of the American church. no intimation of an official or unofficial character has come that any American churchmen are now under consideration for this exalted honor

Must Pay or Go to the Workhouse. A little colored boy named Joseph Harris

was arrested in Mount Vernon Park last night by Policeman Murphy and locked up on a charge of trespass. This morning Judge Kimball was told that the boy was plaint was made toat the shrubbery had been broken, and this mean trubbery had

The boy's excuse was that he was playing with some other boys and he went in the tree to hide. Judge Kimball fined him \$2. He will spend six days in the work-house should his fine remain unpaid.

ASCENSION DAY OBSERVED

socal Knights Templar Attend Divine Service in a Body.

Sermon at Waugh M. E. Church by Rev. Mr. Maydwell, Pastor-

Large Attendance.

Ascension day was observed yesterday, in ecordance with annual custom, by the Knights Tempiar of the District, to the number of about 300. A prayer and praise service was conducted for them last night at Waugh M. E. Church, corner of 3d and A streets northeast, and the five commanderies were in attendance. Orient Commandery was in charge of the ceremony this year, and selected the church named because the pastor, Rev. George E. Mayd-

well, is a Mason. The knights marched to the church from Masonic Temple, on F street. They were in full uniform, and the five commanderies headed by the National Guard Band, under Leader MacLeod, presented an imposing front. They marched in the following

Order: Orient Commandery, No. 5-Charles A. Stockett, commander; Arvine W. Johnston, generaliss.mo; Francis E. Woodman, cap-tain general, and Richard P. Evans, prelate. Washington Commandery, No. 1-Jesse F. Grant, commander; Joseph A. Oliver, generalissimo; W. S. Parks, captain general, and Rev. J. Russell Verbrycke,

prelate.
Columbia Commandery, No. 2-Walter H. Klopfer, commander; Walter B. Pettus, generalissimo; John J. Harrower, captain general, and Jeremiah C. Allen, prelate.
Potomac Commandery, No. 3-John W.
Thomas, commander; John E. Wagner, generalissimo; William S. Waddy, captair general, and William F. Hunt, prelate De Mo ay Mounted Commandery, No. 4—William F. Gude, commander; Robert Cook, generalissimo; Thomas E. Landon, captain general, and Maurice Otterback,

Minister's Theme.

Waugh Church was beautified by palms, potted plants and blossoming flowers. A large audience filled every part of the edifice except that reserved for the knights. Rev. Mr. Maydwell delivered an eloquent sermon on the text Ephesians, iv:8: "When He ascended up on high He led captivity

He ascended up on mgn ne led captivity captive and gave gifts unto men."

"We have for a theme tonight," said he,
"The ascension. Do we not accept Christ as our advocate? How can we approach the omnipotent and omniscient God without Him to lay one hand on the throne and the other upon our heads. Jesus came into the world to be a savior of men. He is the head of the church, with its many divi-sions scattered throughout the world. Is it too much to believe that He shall be able to command His church to bring about the conquest of all people?"

Music by Sunday School Choir.

The Sunday school choir, under the leadership of C. W. Zieber, gave a number of anthems. The members are: Sopranos, Misses Josie Benjamin, Norma Lewis, Norma Zieber, Nida Dawson, May Dryden, Hattle Downs, Nellie Mitchell, Edith George and Grace Maydwell; altos. Misses
Helen Weyam, Edith Mitchell, Bertha Jett,
D. Mitcheil and Grace Houchen; tenors,
Messrs. Harry O. Hine, Morgan McCathran
and John Vivian; bassos, Messrs. George S.
Gibson, Claude Dawson, Richard Evans,
Datin Stacker and Walter Lett. The argan. Gibson, Claude Dawson, Richard Evans, Ralph Stocker and Walter Jett. The organist was Harry Stratton.

The knights, after the service, marched to the temple and disbanded.

THE RETAIL CLERKS.

Well-Attended Meeting of Association Held Last Evening.

A well-attended meeting of the Retail Clerks' Association was held last evening in the assembly room of Woods' College. Addresses were made by E. M. Sprague, former president of the Central Labor Union of this city; R. Henry Lewis, organizer of the American Federation of Labor, and Frank H. Morrison, secretary of the same organization.

and a permanent organization will be perfected at a meeting which will be held on Thursday evening next at the same place. The new organization is chartered under the National Clerks' Association, with headquarters at Deaver. Col., and is af-filiated with the American Federation of Labor. Among the members already en-rolled are a number of the young lady clerks in the large department stores in the city.

At the meeting of the Chemical Society last evening in the assembly hall of the Cosmos Club papers on "Experiments on the Constitution of Certain Silicates" were read by F. W. Clarke and George Steiger, and J. K. Haywood gave a lecture on "The Estimation of Potassium and Sodium." He was followed by H. N. Stokes, whose subject was "Indexing Organic Compounds."
The meeting was concluded with brief notes and an exhibition of specimens.

At a meeting of the District Woman's Suffrage Association last evening at 1401 H street northwest officers were elected as follows: Mrs. E. Tyndall, president; Dr. McNaughton, vice president; Mrs. C. Talbot, recording secretary; Mrs. Johr, corresponding secretary; Mrs. K. W. Burt, treasurer, and Mrs. J. L. Munroe, auditor. Ten delegates were also chosen to the Equal Suffrage Association.

The proposal to sever connection with The proposal to sever connection with the American Federation of Women was discussed, but as the greater part of the members strenuously objected to such a proceeding, no final action resulted.

MUST HAVE FIRE ESCAPES.

Order of Inspector of Buildings Approved by Commissioners.

Mr. James J. Clarke of 718 12th street has been informed by the District Commissioners that the order of the inspector of buildings requiring the Tremont House, 2d street and Indiana avenue, to be provided with first escapes must be carried out.

Mr. Clarke wrote the Commissioners that he had received a notice from the inspector of buildings directing aim to place fire escapes on the building. Mr. Clarke stated that the law, as he understands it, exempts all buildings under fifty feet in height, and requires the measurement to be made on the front facing the street of steepest grade He contended that 2d street is the one of steepest grade in this case, and that the measurement made there is one foot less

than fifty feet.

In his report to the Commissioners the inspector of buildings said Mr. Clarke's interpretation of the law is erroneous, and that he should have explained that 2d street blends into the grade of Indiana avenue, which is lower than the first-named thoroughfare. The principal entrance to the building, stated the inspector of buildings, is located on Indiana avenue, and that determines, he said, the front of the building. For this reason, the inspector measured the elevation of the building at this point, and there it exceeded fifty feet in

neight. In aproving the report of the inspector of buildings the Commissioners said that in view of the report that the construction of the building is such as to cause consider able danger in case of fire, were proper fire escapes not provided, the order of the inspector must be obeyed.

\$1.25 to Baltimore and Return Via B. and O., Saturday and Sunday, May 13 and 14; good for return until following Monday. Good on all trains except Royal

Dr. Muir Going to California. Rev. Dr. J. J. Muir, pastor of the E

Street Baptist Church, leaves on Monday next for California to attend the Baptist anniversaries to be held in San Francisco The members of his church and congregation have generously provided for the necessary expenses of this trip. He will be away for several weeks. Revs. R. R. West, Dr. T. S. Hamilin of this city, Dr. T. S. Dunaway of Virginia, President Menifee of Washington College and Prof. L. D. Lodge of Columbian University will occupy the pulpit during his absence.

Large sale of furniture and miscellaneous goods at Sloan's, 1407 G street, 10 a.m. to-morrow.—Advt.

ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO KILL.

Verdict Declaring Charles L. Fowler Guilty of the Crime. A jury in Criminal Court No. 1 late last

evening reported a verdict declaring Charles L. Fowler guilty of assault with intent to kill. The verdict was qualified, however, with a recommendation that the defendant be accorded the mercy of the court. Fowler was indicted for assaulting, with

intent to kill, Policeman Henry C. Dand-

ridge, the night of the 14th of last January,

while near the intersection of 1st and B streets. The policeman was in citizen's attire, and, it was charged, Fowler and several of his friends were disorderly. Dandridge was shot through the cheek with a bullet from a pistol discharged by Fow-ler. The contention of Fowler was that he acted purely in self-defense, as he was under the impression that Dandridge, whom about to shoot him.

The case was tried three times, the juries erving at the two former trials being un-ble to agree. Fowler was remanded to

able to agree. Fowler was remanded to jail, his attorneys, Messrs, Shipp and Fowler, giving notice of the filing of a motion

BURIAL OF COL. EGBERT.

Interment With Military Honors at Arlington Cemetery.

The remains of Col. Harry C. Egbert, 22d Infantry, one of the heroes of the Philippine campaign, were interred in Arlington cemetery yesterday afternoon with military honors. A squad of artillerymen of Battery O, 7th Artillery, acted as pallbearers, and the funeral cortege was escorted to the cemetery by Troop H, 3d Cavalry, Capt. Morgan commanding. Brief religious services were conducted at the grave by Rev. Alfred Harding, rector of St. Paul's Church, at the close of which a salute was fired over the grave and "taps" sounded. Secretary Alger and Adjt. Gen. Corbin were among those present. The honorary pallbearers were: Maj. Mills, Maj. Parker, Capt. Carnahan, Capt. Townsend, Col. Norvell and Brig. Gen. Gilmore. Other officers present were: Gen. Breckinridge Gen. Vincent, Gen. Swan, Col. Weston, Col. Giimore, Col. Maus, Maj. Morrison, Maj. Simpson, Maj. Romaine and Capt. Merry.

APPEALS FOR FUNDS.

Hospital in Need of Money for Building Purposes.

An urgent appeal for funds has been issued to the generous people of this city by the board of directors of the Foundling Hospital. They desire to complete the home in the country, which the intense heat of summer and the increased population of the section where the asylum is located in the city make an imperative necessity.

The estimates for buildings and ground are \$14,700. Nine acres of land have been secured, for which \$2,700 has been paid. Donations of money previously acknowledged, \$5,789.50, and subscriptions have since been received by Dr. Z. T. Sowers, president, 1320 New York avenue, making a total of \$10,571.80, leaving a bal-ance of \$4,128.20 yet to be raised, which is necessary for the completion of the build-ing, the water supply, laundry, sewage and outbuildings. Ground has been broken and the home is being erected.

AMUSEMENTS.

MISS HAWKE'S MAY BALL.-Miss Minnie E. Hawke and her pupils will give their annual May ball Monday next at the Lafayette Opera House. The principal feature will be a mythological pantomime play called "The Triumph of Terpsichore," written by W. Hamilton Smith of this city. The cast will embrace Miss Nettie Page as Terpsichore, Miss Mabel Owen as Thalia, Ed. E. Muth as Jupiter and Charles F. Purdy as Pluto. The pantomimes and dances will be executed by the pupils. A novel entertainment is promised.

MT. VERNON CONCERT.-The concert which will be given at the Mt. Vernon Place Church this evening promises to be an interesting musical event. The chief attractions are Mrs. Jenny Lind Green, organist, and Dr. Merrill Hopkinson, bariocalists will participate in the program: vocalists will participate in the program:
Mrs. H. Clay Browning, soprano; Mrs.
Margaret Nolan Martin, contralto; Mr.
Perry B. Turpin, tenor, and Mr. James
Duffy, bass. The object of the concert is
to add to the Sunday school library, and
with that in view and the entertainment to
be offered it is probable that the church
will be crowded.

EXCURSIONS

Those who wish to take a little trip out of town and spend a week or two at some pleasant place where they will enjoy every moment of their stay will make no mistake if they go to Fortress Monroe and Virginia Beach. One of the attractive features of the trip is the ride on the Potomac and Chesapeake bay on the elegant steamers of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company. These steamers are equipped with all the modern conveniences, lighted by electricity and serve excellent meals. Steamers leave 7th street wharf daily at 6:30 p.m., arriving at Fortress Monroe, Norfolk and Portsmouth early the following morning.

The low price charged by the Washing-

ton, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon railway for the round trip tickets to Arlington on Sunday enable practically every one to spend part of the day at the beautiful national cometors. tional cemetery. The regular fare is reduced on Sunday, tickets being good on all trains, both going and returning. Electric trains leave the station at 131/2 street and Pennsylvania avenue every forty-five min-utes for Arlington on Sunday. Electric trains also leave the station every hour from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. for Mt. Vernon. It is like going to Baltimore on the "forty-five-minute flyers" to go to Arlington on the electric cars which run from the Aqueduct bridge. These cars make the trip in either direction in only five minutes. They go direct to the national cemetery without change, and stop within a few yards of the main entrance, from which point the man-sion may be reached over paved walks. Electric cars leave the Aqueduct bridge every half hour for Arlington, Fort Myer, Ballston, Fostoria, Falls Church and inter-

Cutting Down the Wages.

To the Editor of The Evening Star: Referring to the editorial comments concerning the recent reduction in wages on the Great Falls electric line, which appeared in last evening's Star, your attention is invited to the following facts, in order that the public may fully understand and appreciate the true situation, and judge ac-

Under the old management the conductors and motormen received 20 cents per hour, nine hours constituting a day's work, and were paid for every hour or fraction of an hour they worked overtime. Under the new regime they have been

cut to 16 cents per hour, are compelled to "sign off" for one day a week, making their weekly wage amount to the munificent sum In addition to this, the men were informed a few days since that they must

formed a few days since that they must purchase new uniforms, and that a failure to appear in the prescribed uniform by Sunday next would involve a lay off until they were properly garbed. The uniform, which the men claim is worth nothing like its cost, is listed at \$11.75, and must be nurchased from one particular firm in this purchased from one particular firm in this city. On this they are forced to make a first payment of \$4, and \$2 per week thereafter until full payment is made. It is also said that as soon as the syndi-

cate obtains possession of the Metropolitan the same scale of wages is to go into effect on that line, and already mutterings are to be heard among the men on that road, which plainly indicate that the men employed thereon will assert their manhood and refuse to submit to that sort of an injustice.

The writer of this has but one object in

view, viz: the presentation of the facts in the interest of a body of men who surely deserve better treatment at the hands of their new masters. These men, facing, as they do, all sorts and conditions of weather, are paid but little at the best, and it would seem that there should be some way de-vised by which this deserving class of public servants could be protected in the maryland. ing of a living wage. May 12, 1899.

EXPERIMENTAL LIGHTING.

Appropriation Exhausted and the

Service Discontinued. The Welsbach Street Lighting Company was recently informed by the District Commissioners that the appropriation for experimental street lighting will be exhausted the 21st instant. The company thereupon offered to continue its service for the remainder of the present fiscal year, free of however, have informed the company that they do not consider it good policy to accept the offer to furnish light free of charge, and have written to that effect.

POLITICIANS AT ROSSLYN. Candidates for County Officers Ad-

dress the People. There was a political gathering at Rosslyn last evening in answer to a recent call of eaders for a general rally and mass meeting. As the county election approaches the excitement over the contest for the offices increases. It is said a determined effort is being made by the Citizens' League and others to organize a decisive and successful fight against several of the present officials. A number of prominent citizens, including nearly all the candidates now in the field, attended the meeting last night, and numerous speeches were made by the con-

A sensation was created late in the even-ing by Mr. Fred Russell, candidate for county clerk, when he read several let-ters addressed to Mr. Louis Barley while latter represented this district in the the latter represented this district in the legislature at Richmond, and bearing the signature of Mr. George H. Rucker. In these letters Mr. Rucker criticised the policy of the democratic legislature in leavening the superintendent ing the appointment of road superintendent in the hands of a republican board of supervisors. This disclosure led to hot words between the candidate involved, and a tumultuous scene followed.

testants.

Music was rendered at intervals during the evening by a brass band.

GALLAUDET BADLY BEATEN. Georgetown's Pitchers Were Effective and the Hitting Was Heavy.

All the ball teams look alike to the Jeorgetown boys this season, and it is only question of how many runs shall be scored, victory being a foregone conclusion. Yesterday the Gallaudet College team went over to the Georgetown grounds and when the smoke of battle had cleared away it was found that the score was 18 to 1 in favor of the wearers of the blue and gray. Thirteen players took part in the game at different times for the Georgetown, yet not a misplay was registered against the team, while the visitors had six errors to account for. In the batting line it was also a walkover, Gallaudet getting five hits from Bach, White and Kenna, while from Bach, White and Kenna, while Georgetown was knocking the sphere to all points of the compass, Hafford making all points of the compass, Hallord making a triple, a double and two singles, while fifteen other hits were divided among the rest of the team.

Bach, White and Kenna each pitched

three innings. In the first Bach retired the mutes on four pitched balls. He and White were each touched for two hits, while Ken-na, pitching the last three innings, allowed but one hit to be made off his delivery. This single hit, coupled with a base or balls and a passed ball, gave the Galiaudets their solitary run.

Rosson's pitching for Gallaudet was easy

to solve, and as a result the ball was slam-med at the fielders behind him with so much force as to make errors plentiful Georgetown's team will now make its northern tour, meeting the leading college and athletic clubs of the east. SUNDAY'S CENTURY RUN.

The Schedule and Route Will Be the Same as Before. The second open century of the Arlington Wheelmen will be run Sunday, having been postponed from last Sunday. The starting and finishing point will be 14th street and New York avenue northwest. The club decided to run the century in two divisions-one to be known as the fourteenhour century and the other to be designated the "flying squad."

The scheduled time for the fourteen-hour division to leave the starting point is 6 a. m., but every rider has until 8 o'clock to start in this division, but he will be adjudged as having started at 6 o'clock-the from 6 o'clock.

The riders in the "flying squad" will deposit their first check at the starting point at 9 a.m., and they are then entirely free to do what they please, i. e., set their own pace, stop where they please. The only requirement of the club is that they deposit all of their checks along the route at the proper places and turn the last check in at or before 5 o'clock. They will be desig-

nated by a red ribbon.

Captain Potts will be in charge of the slow division. He will select the pacemakers from the different clubs represented and also from unattached riders.

The captain-had an interview yesterday with Acting Chief of Police Captain Austin, and he kindly consented to detail two of the bicycle policemen to pace the flying squad across the city, so there will be no violation of the law in regard to speed. They will meet the riders at Georgetown and carry them over to the new bridge, and will also meet them in the evening.

Rase Ball at Industrial Home School A selected team from Georgetown played the Industrial Home School team Wednesday afternoon on the school grounds. The score was 23 to 22 in favor of the school.

High School Team Going to Rockville. The Rockville Base Ball Club will play the team from the Central High School of Washington at the Rockville fair grounds tomorrow afternoon.

Base Ball at Alexandria. A game of base ball will be played be-

tween the Episcopal High School team of Alexandria and the Baltimore City Col-lege at the High School grounds, Alexandria, tomorrow afternoon.

Close Your Eyes to Quality and the world is full of cheap things; but with your eyes open, good things are few and far between. 5-1b. box best butter, \$1.25. James F. Oyster, 900 Pa. ave.—Advt.

Drunk, but Not a Vagrant. "I had been drinking, but I'm not a vagrant," was the plea of William B. Lane, alias Sayre, in Judge Kimball's court this morning, when charged with vagrancy.
"This man has been over in Southwest Washington, drunk, a number of lately," Policeman Carlin complained, "and he was drunk again last night. He was

trying to sell a pillow when I found him.' "I wesn't drunk last night," said the pris-oner, "but I did have a bolster with me that I had sold." "Perhaps you did not know you were drunk," the judge remarked. "What do you call drunk?"

"When a man don't know what he's do-ing," was the prisoner's answer.
"Ther, do you think a man is not drunk until he falls in the gutter?" "Not exactly that."

Another policeman recognized the pris-

oner as a resident of Southeast Washing-ton. He could not understand why he spent so much of his time in another section. The court imposed a penalty of \$10 or thirty days on the farm. Marriage Licenses.

Mariage licenses have been issued to the following: White-Thomas Nelson of Philadelphia

and Fannie B. Jeffress of this city; Frank E. Tennyson and Emma M. Cook; John W. Smith and Mamie E. Robinson; Joseph M. Rotchford and Birtle A. Sipple, both of Alexandria, Va.; Wm. E. Steidel and Vere Brinkner, Colored—Daniel D. Hall and Jezebel King; Newman Jordan and Mary Whales, The Baltic Hotel Sale

All the nearly new furniture in the Baltic Hotel, K street near 15th street northwest, will be sold at auction by Slean & Co. Monday, at 10 a.m. On exhibition tomorrow. Advertisement. Frazer Case Continued.

Wyatt Frazer, colored, who was arrested Wednesday for an alleged felonious assault on Bessie Washington, also colored, was arraigned in Judge Scott's court today and a plea of not guilty was entered. The court heard the testimony of the physicians who examined the child and continued the case until Monday to hear the other witnesses.

READING FOR THE SOLDIERS. Letter Expressing Appreciation of

Recent Donations. Soldiers of the United States who are on duty in Cuba and Porto Rico have been from time to time, in recent months, supplied with books and papers forwarded from this city, through the efforts of Miss Anna M. Laise, 1333 12th street northwest. The periodicals have been of great service, and are greatly appreciated.

A letter referring to the donations has been received by Miss Laise, from Post Hospital, Camp Young, Guanajay, Cuba, under date of April 22. It is signed by Dwight B. Taylor, A. A. surgeon, and is as follows:
"I have just returned from Pinar del Rio

where your note was given me. I left Pinar early in March, and consequently lost my share of the reading matter you sent. One box only had arrived and I was given the pleasure of seeing it—empty—and of hearing what good things it contained. The commanding officer at Pinar is looking for the second box, but is afraid some one has stolen it. You was be thinked. stolen it. You see by this how much read-ing matter is appreciated here. In behalf ing matter is appreciated here. In behalf of the men who did get the books and periodicals, I thank you most sincerely. There are nearly one hundred in the hospital at Pinar and I know that your kindness has done a great deal to make these men more comfortable. The engineers and Signal Corps have left there and one battalion of infeature from the property of the complex of the c tallon of infantry from there is here-so now there are about one thousand men at Pinar. We have only four hundred of that number, one battalion of the 1st Infantry
"It is fearfully dull here, and, I suppose n every part of Cuba. The 1st Infantry has started a reading room and the officers claim that it has lessened drunkenness in the regiment. A large percentage of sol-diers who drink to excess, do it because there is nothing to interest them. You have helped these men as well as the sick. assure you that your kindness has not

Matchless Creamery Butter, \$1.25 5-lb. box. D. Wm. Oyster, 520 Center mar-ket.-Advt.

been misplaced, and again thank you.'

SERGEANT MOUNELL DEAD. Colored Soldier, Member of Tenth Im

munes, Passes Away. W. F. Mounell, the young colored soldier, who served in the 10th Immunes during the recent war with Spain, and who was operated on at the Freedmen's Hospital Tuesday, died late last night. His home was with his parents at No. 420 New Jersey avenue northwest, to which place the body has been removed.

\$1.25 To Baltimore and Return \$1.25 via Pennsylvania Railroad. Via Fennsylvania Kantoau.

Tickets on sale Saturday and Sunday, May
13 and 14, good to return until Monday,
May 15. All trains except Congressional Limited.-Advt.

ANSWERS TO CHARGE. Policeman Arraigned for an Alleged

Unwarranted Arrest. The alleged unwarranted arrest of Deputy Marshal Patrick Cusick by Policeman Reith last week, the particulars of which were given in The Star at the time, resulted in the trial of the policeman before Trial Officer Pugh yesterday afternoon. He was charged with having made a false arrest and with conduct unbecoming an officer. Attorney McNally represented the officer, while Attorney Tobriner appeared in the interest of the deputy marshal.

It was the contention of the prosecution that Mr. Cusick was standing in front of O'Brien's saloon on New Jersey avenue. He owns the property and had been there to collect his rent. While standing there the policeman came along and ordered him to "move on." His order was repeated several times, but, it was claimed, as Mr. sick was violating no law that he knew of he remained there. Finally the officer arhe remained there. Finally the concerning rested him and he was required to deposit rested him and he was required to deposit appearance. Mr \$5 collateral for his appearance.
O'Brien gave similar testimony. The defense was that several colored me-

were standing on the sidewalk and they "moved on" when so ordered. It was not contended that the deputy marshal was with the colored men. Policeman Aud was a witness witness.

Mr. Cusick denied that there was a crowd of colored men on the pavement. The re-sult of the trial will probably be made public next week.

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today charged with theft. The evidence

before Judge Scott was that he took \$15.30 from Sarah Spriggs. A fine of \$20 was im-Pillsbury's Best Flour at Johnston's. 729 7th st., for \$4.75 bbl.; Evaporated Apricots, 9½c. lb.; Baby Brand Milk, 9c. can; Fresh Beef for boiling, 5c. lb. Visit Johnston's premium department, handsome fur niture, free; take elevator, 2d floor. 1t*

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Five Released and Three Sent to the Farm. Eight defendants in a vagrancy case tried in Judge Kimball's court this morning pleaded guilty, and then asked the judge for an opportunity to leave the city. Six of them were colored, and their names were given as John Garrett, John Ellis, Charles Hoover, Albert Patterson, Albert Johnson and Charles Brown. Fred. Seal and Fred. Steinhagen were the names given by the white members of the party.

EIGHT ALLEGED VAGRANTS.

Sergt. Harry and Policeman Brown rested them about the Benning freight yard and the Union stock yards, "The two white men were in a north-bound freight car that was about to leave here," said one of the officers. When such men are on their way out of the city," said the judge, "I think it would be best to let them go." "I belong in Jamaica," said Albert Pat-

"Why did you come here?" "Because a steamer brought me."
"Why didn't you go back?"
"Because I didn't want to go back when

I came here," was his response. "I wanted to see Washington." Another prisoner said he came here from Richmond, and when arrested he was waiting for a freight train to start toward his

"I live at Arlington," said another of the party, "and I was on my way to Annapolis to pick strawberries when I got arrested." Still another defendant said he was from North Carolina. He is on his way to Rich-mond to see his sister. Three of the eight prisoners were commit ted for ten days, and the others, including the two white men, were released on their

Have you seen Cleveland Park?-Advt.

Adjourns Until October.

personal bonds.

A meeting of the Constitution Chapter. D. A. R., was held Tuesday evening at the Portier. A gratifying account was read from the district regent of contributions by this chapter of garments for the use of the Cubans. The constitution was amended, providing that the regular meetings of the chapter shall be held the third instead of the second Tuesday of each month, and good wishes for the summer were ex-

The meeting adjourned to meet the third Tuesday in October.

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